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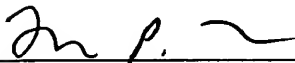
German Published, Non-Prosecuted Patent Application DE 195 40 647 A1 (Matsui et al.), dated October 24, 1996, integrated semiconductor circuit device;

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